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BY H. C. DODGE.

I.

Oak, Caroline! for yow I pine
Oh, willow, will you not be mine?
Thy hazel eyes, thy tulips red,
Thy ways, all larch, have turned my head;
All linden shadows by thy gate
I cypress on my heart and wait;
Then gum! beech cherished, Caroline;
We'll fly for elms of bliss divine.

II.

Oh, spruce young man! I cedar plan—
Catalpa's money, if you can;
You sumach ash, but not my heart;
You're evergreen, so now depart;
You'd like to poplar—that I see—
Birch you walnut propose to me—
Here's pa! you'll see hemlock the gate;
He maple litely say, "'tis late."

III.

Locust that lovyer, while he flew
For elms before that parant's shoe;
He little thought a dogwood bite
And make him balsam much that night,
Hawthorney path he traveled o'er,
And he was sick and sycamore.

A STORY WITH A MORAL.

What the Carrying of a Bouquet to the Wrong House Effected.

[From the New York Tribune.]

It was not long ago that a gentleman said to me—he was in wine—"Johnny, I will take your best bouquet—that big one on a tray, fit to be the bridal bed of Eve—if you will carry it to this address."

"All right, boss," was my response, as I took his $10 bill, and observed a rather devilish light in his eye, while he wrote a name on a card. It was a beam of the light that shone in the eye of Cain as the discriminating flame of heaven shot past his offering and blazed on Abel's altar. However, I wasn't particular about what was going on in his mind, and he slipped the card in the bouquet, and I started off to deliver it. Stopping close by to change my note and eat a bit of lunch, a good many people gathered near the great prize bouquet and began to talk about it, and so, whether some jealous rival stole that card, or whether I had dropped it on the street, the card was missing when I took up the great salver of flowers again.

I hastened back to the place where I had met the gentleman. He had gone away in a carriage. I told my trouble to the hotel clerk, and he said, "Pshaw! take it to his wife. He is no sporting man."

Now, that gentleman I knew, by an accident of passing his house, and had often admired the inflexible, the solitary, the lofty and self-reliant quality in him. He was kind to his inferiors, manly to his equals, haughty to his superiors. About once or twice a year he showed liquor in his eyes, as if Cain had bred on Abel's stock, and a little liquor brought out the consanguinity. I said to myself: "These flowers will wither for which I have been paid. I believe he meant to send them to his wife, and I will take them."

I rang the door-bell of his house and asked for the lady. Shown into the parlor I saw my buyer's picture over the mantel. The house was not expensively furnished, but looked like the abode of perseverance in some moderately-compensating profession, and slow but gaining conquest on half fortune. A lady entered the parlor and beheld the flowers. She turned to me and said:

"Who are these for?"

"For you, madam."

"For me?" Her face flushed. "Who has dared to send flowers to me?"

I saw I was in for it somewhere, and there was no safety but in consistent lying. "Your husband sent them, Mrs. ——." I had heard his name and felt that this was his wife.

"My husband!" Her voice faltered. "How came he to send me flowers? Have you not made a mistake?"

"No, madam. He has never bought flowers from me before. He is not a customer of gallantry. There is no mistake about it."

She seemed all fluttered, like a widow told that her husband has returned to life. Looking now at the flowers, again at his portrait, her eyes dilated, her temples flushed. She walked to me like a woman of authority and under some high mental excitement. Looking into my eyes she said:

"What did my husband say?"

"He said, madam, 'I have not made a present to my dear wife for years. Business and care have arisen between us. Take her these flowers, that their blossoms may dispel the winter from our hearts and make us young again.'"

She turned to the bouquet and rained her tears upon it. An orange-bud she took, all blinded so, and hid it in her bosom. She sank upon her knees, and laid her head among the flowers to let their coolness refresh her parched, neglected heart, and sobbed the joy of love and confidence again. I stole away like a citizen of the world.

As I went up the street and stopped at the same hotel, the husband was there. "Johnny," said he, "did you deliver the bouquet?"

"Yes, I took it to your wife."

"To my wife?"

"Yes, boss, you are too good a man to wander as you wished to go. Go home. The ice is broken. Your wife is full of gratitude. Saved by a mistake, embrace the blessed opening made for both of you; plant those rich blossoms on the grave of estrangement, and, in the words of the great good book, 'cling to the wife of thy youth.'"

He staggered a moment, looked as if he ought to knock me down, and rushed from the place.

Next day I met her upon his arm.

"Johnny," he said, "bring her as big a bouquet every week, and save one scarlet rose for me!"

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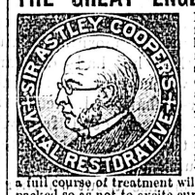

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THE FROZEN NORTH.

The welcome news received recently of the safety of at least two-thirds of the Jeannette's brave officers and men has again called attention to Arctic exploration and research. In reply to the enquiry of a correspondent at Seattle as to whether the discovery of the northwest passage is to be credited to McCLURE or McCINTOCK we may state that the solution of that problem was accomplished by the former Arctic explorer in 1850 and he and his brave crew received the $100,000 reward that had for many years been offered by the British Government for the discovery of a passage to the Pacific in a westerly direction along the ice-bound shores of the Arctic ocean. Commander McCLURE entered this ocean from the west through Behring straits and penetrated to a point 60 miles west of Barrow straits, where he abandoned his ship. Not long after this he and his crew were picked up, in 1852, by Sir EDWARD BELCHER, who had been sent to his relief by the British Government and who had penetrated that far to the westward from Baffin's Bay. Thus the northwest passage problem, which had cost millions of treasure and a large number of valuable lives, was solved. The lamented FRANKLIN, however, would have made this discovery a few years before if he had lived and had been able to carry out his programme. The discovery is of no practical utility, commercially, but the efforts put forth from time to time to accomplish it have resulted in the accumulation of a vast amount of valuable information respecting those inhospitable regions. McCINTOCK made several voyages to the Arctic regions, the most important of which was that made in the Fox, when he found some of the remains of the FRANKLIN expedition and ascertained its fate. For this voyage he was fitted out by Lady FRANKLIN and on his return received the honor of knighthood from the British Government. The trip of the Fox will always remain one of the most successful among Arctic expeditions.

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THE ALLEGED NEW SENATOR.

Should the report that Dr. McINNES, M. P., has been appointed to fill the vacant senatorship prove to be correct, there are many in the province who will regard the selection as a grave mistake. Personally, there is no objection to urge to the doctor; but viewing the appointment from a geographical standpoint the reader will see that the Great Interior, where are located the chief agricultural, pastoral and mining interests of the province, is left without a mouthpiece in the Senate. All the senators are from districts near the coast. It is doubtful if Dr. McINNES ever visited the section of country lately represented by the present lieut.-governor and his only claim upon the Dominion was that of sitting in the Commons for New Westminster which has already a representative—and a very able one, too—in the Senate. It is earnestly to be hoped that the report will prove to be incorrect and that geographical limits have not been ignored.

More Legal Members.

TO THE EDITOR.—"Taxpayer's" letter strikes the evil in the right spot. More lawyers are needed in the House to save the laws from ridicule and failure at home and at Ottawa. Mr. Walkem is a downright failure as attorney-general. The man evidently knows nothing about his profession. "Taxpayer" suggests Mr. Drake for the House. He would make a good member. But *young* men as well as *new* are needed in this crisis, and I therefore nominate Mr. Theo. Davie. He has been instrumental in upsetting more laws than all the other lawyers in the province. He has taught us where Scylla lies and would be just the man to keep us off Charydis.

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FROM ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

The Isle of Discontent.

ENGLISH AND GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—Pigot, a former proprietor of the Dublin *Irishman*, publishes a letter in which he says Fenianism is practically extinct in America and Ireland, and nearly so in Great Britain; that the "no rent" manifesto has caused such a run upon the resources of the land league they must soon be exhausted; and that the probable adoption of the "no rent" policy will lead to such exasperation there will be organized attacks on the military, and the policy which attacks can be effectually stamped out and the league with them.

It is stated an industrial exhibition will probably be held at Belfast as a demonstration of loyalty.

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—At Castleton today, Miss Reynolds, charged with aiding and abetting a criminal conspiracy to prevent payment of rent, was ordered either to find bail to keep the peace six months or undergo a month's imprisonment. She refused to give bail and went to jail.

CORK, Dec. 23.—Later particulars from Aghobballegue report that the men engaged in repairing the Protestant church there were not attacked. They were only Boycotted.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The lord mayor's fund for defense of property in Ireland amounts to £7000. The fund for the relief of Irish ladies in distress has reached £10,000.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Donahue, land agent and clerk of the Tobbercurry, country Sligo, board of guardians, was fired on in his office last evening and dangerously wounded.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 23.—In the trial by court martial at Miejin, of prisoners who participated in the anti-Jewish riots last August, among the prisoners are some wealthy merchants accused of inciting the mob.

Reports are current at St. Petersburg that the relations between Russia and China are somewhat strained.

Large purchases of Panama canal stock are reported from Paris on American account.

DUBLIN, Dec. 25.—The man Ryan and two brothers Wheelan, arrested last Sunday at the time of the seizure of a quantity of arms and ammunition in this city, were arraigned to-day, charged with the possession of arms in a proclaimed district. The crown counsel said the original charge would probably be supplemented by one of a much more serious character, arising from the seizure of documents one of which was Ryan's discharge from the United States army, with a statement that his character was excellent. Some of the arms seized were property of the war department. The prisoners were remanded.

Chamberlain, president of the board of trade, answering a correspondent who criticised the policy of coercion, writes a strong note in justification of the government's resort thereto. It declares it is unbearable that the good will shown by the farmers after passing the land act should be nullified by the illegal acts and teachings of those who have avowed a sinister desire to render reconciliation impossible.

The Persian government requested Ayoob Khan, the Afghan chief residing at Ghayn, either to quit Persia or go to Meshed.

ROME, Dec. 24.—The pope to-day gave his customary Christmas eve reception to cardinals, of whom 23 were in attendance, including the German Cardinal Hohenlohe. In reply to their address the pope said his position was becoming more and more intolerable. When he claimed temporal power in order to secure independence of spiritual power, he was accused of being a rebel and an enemy to Italy. Catholics who demanded an efficient guarantee for freedom for the head of their church were similarly stigmatized, and pilgrims to Rome were insulted by the press and populace. It was therefore only natural that bishops coming to Rome should consider the existing situation incompatible with the dignity of the Holy See. His holiness said he expected far more severe persecution in time to come, but he would endeavor to guide the bark of Peter through the troubled sea, looking forward to the moment when God would calm the tempest.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 25.—O'Donovan, correspondent of the London *Daily News*, was arrested on the charge of speaking in abusive terms of the sultan and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

ORAN, Dec. 25.—Floods having subsided, 204 bodies have been recovered in the plain of Habra. Of these, 163 were natives; 33 Spaniards, and five Frenchmen.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A Florence dispatch says that the cashier of the large banking house of Fenzie & Co. has absconded, being a defaulter to the amount of 2,000,000 lires. He is 71 years old, and was 40 years in the employ of the firm. He had been speculating in the Paris Bourse and paying his losses with securities deposited in the bank. He has just been arrested in a village near Florence. It is hoped that about 750,000 lires in Italian rentes will be recovered. This is one of the principal banking houses of Italy. The head of the firm died last month. He was a member of the Italian Parliament. His brother was in the United States in 1876, in attendance on the Centennial. The oldest member of the firm there had on exhibition some of the choicest wines from Couditi, Tuscany, and a medal was awarded to him. The banking house stood high in public estimation and did business in all parts of the world. The exact defalcation would be in federal money $400,000.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius has assumed large proportions.

VIENNA, Dec. 23.—A corrected list of the Ring Theatre fire gives 439 persons lost.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—At a meeting of the Cabinet yesterday, Bismarck presiding, the principles of the bill for the revision of many laws was agreed to. The bill, while removing more stringent provisions, leaves many safeguards for authority of State.

AFRICA.

MADRID, Dec. 23.—A dispatch from Tangiers says the troops dispatched by the Emperor of Morocco and captured by Chief Bou Anena, have joined the latter in proclaiming a holy war against the French. They subsequently defeated tribes who refused to join them. The revolution is spreading, and the emperor has neither requisite means or prestige to suppress it.

ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 23.—Reports of 23 deaths from cholera at Elwedj are received for the week ended the 15th inst. Some caravans broke quarantine by avoiding the ordinary route.

TUNIS, Dec. 23.—General Logerot has defeated an Arab troop near Malena with severe loss after obstinate and prolonged resistance.

TUNIS, Dec. 24.—Owing to the influence of Aliben Kalifi, Arab rebel chief, three of the largest tribes in Southern Tunis hold out against the French. The insurgents pillaged a large town of Kaso. The march of General Lagerotz's column from Sfax is, in consequence, postponed.

WEST INDIES.

PORT AU PRINCE, Dec. 23.—An alarming revolution is reported to have broke out at Jeremie, Aux Cayes and Saint Marc. President Solomon with a strong force landed at Saint Marc and quelled the rising there after 150 men had been killed on both sides. The government house was sacked and other houses burned. President Solomon returned to Port au Prince to obtain reinforcements.

SANTO DOMINGO, Dec. 14.—News of the U. S. steamer survey at Samana Bay has caused such excitement that the authorities proposed that the two war schooners Thunder and Capatillo watch the American man-of-war. A revolutionary movement broke at Santiago and President Merino, then at Puelto Plata, started to San Diego with 500 men. Eleven houses at Bani were burned, causing losses estimated at $225,000; no insurance.

SOUTH AMERICA.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Dec. 11.—President Guzman Blanco asked the legislature for authorily to organize a force of 25,000 men to repress a threatened revolution.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, Dec. 23.—A Pullman car conductor was caught by the customs officers bringing in tickets for the company to-day, without entering them for duty. They were confiscated. Brown, general superintendent of the Pullman Co., has arrived from the west and denies emphatically any smuggling has been carried on.

The stock market is excited to-day and prices fell further.

A Montreal special says the amount of the charges for smuggling made by the Dominion government against Pullman has dwindled from $160,000 to $200, and it was the neglect and not the intention of the company that caused this trifling dereliction.

The Screaming Farce at Washington.

The farcical proceedings incident to the trial of Guiteau continue at Washington. The trial drags slowly because of the interruptions of the prisoner, who blackguards his own and the opposite counsel, and the witnesses for prosecution, frequently drawing out peals of laughter. Here are a few specimens of the last two days' proceedings: On Thursday morning Guiteau announced that he had discharged Scoville and wished now to retain another lawyer—Charles H. Reed. Scoville, he added, was a good fellow, but was ruining the case for the defence. Presently Guiteau broke out:

"All this nonsense about whether I'm insane now or was five years ago has nothing whatever to do with this case." Striking the table and becoming more excited, he continued: "If I can't get justice here I expect an act of God for my protection. He has taken away the wife of one of the jurors, for which I am very sorry, and if necessary he will take away one of those jurors right out of the box to save my life, in the interest of truth and justice."

Dr. S. H. Talcott, a medical expert, from Middletown, N. Y., had treated over 1000 insane persons. Had observed Guiteau closely and assuming that he had told the truth regarding the shooting and his life should say he was sane July 2nd. He gave the same answer to the hypothetical questions.

"How much do you expect to get for that opinion," shouted Guiteau. "You have been two or three weeks here. I suppose you will want $500 (striking the table angrily) but I don't care a snap if you bring in 500 such witnesses. I don't pretend I'm insane now, any more than you are; but on the 2nd of July and thirty days before I was insane. That's the issue."

Davidge—Than if you are sane now you certainly ought to know how to behave yourself.

Guiteau—I do, and I behave myself just as well as you. I appear as my own counsel and have as much right to talk as you have. You have altogether too much to say on this case. You are as bad as a man born with the diarrhea.

On Friday Guiteau asked a question but Judge Porter suggested to witness that he hold no colloquy with the criminal.

Guiteau, angrily—I'm no criminal, any more than you are. I'm here as my own counsel and I have as much right to speak as you have. Wait till I am convicted before you call me a criminal. I stand a great deal better outside than you. Plenty of people will say I'm bigger than old Porter.

Corkhill suggested that if this abuse was permitted prosecution would insist that prisoner be removed to the dock.

Judge Cox—The court has already considered the advisability of such a course.

Guiteau—The court has no discretion in the matter. I appear here as my counsel, in accordance with law and usage in every state in the country.

Reed tried to get a categorical answer from a witness on a hypothetical case and a sharp colloquy between Reed and Porter ensued.

Guiteau interjected, Porter, you've got a mouth like an old catfish. You'll bring up in a lunatic asylum yet. He soon after informed witness that he was the stupidest one yet, and as he stepped down said, now go get you $500 and go home.

Guiteau—This is all rubbish, all this nonsense to prove that I am sane. Now this has nothing to do with the 2nd of July. These experts have seen me since the trial began. I don't claim now and didn't claim when they saw me to be insane. Consequently when they assume that I was sane on the 2nd of July it's all nonsense.

Upon cross-examination witness stated: I did not believe the prisoner was shamming in the sense of feigning insanity. I do not believe him to be insane, but I do not think he has been feigning insanity in court.

Corkhill desired, as Monday will be a legal holiday, to have an adjournment until Tuesday, which was so ordered. Court then adjourned to that time.

As the audience rose to leave Guiteau shouted, "To-morrow being Christmas I wish court and jury and the American people a happy Christmas."

Well Thought of, Mr. Editor

It has been intimated that the citizens of Victoria feel much indebted to T. W. Pierre for saving so many people from dying. The judges at the late successful agricultural show acted very wisely in giving Pierre a diploma for dyeing. If they were on Guiteau's case he would certainly have to die without a diploma. The difference between Guiteau and Pierre is that Pierre wants to dye and Guiteau does not want to die.

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With a Select Stock of

FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES,

FRESH FRUITS, NUTS, ETC.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE FINANCIAL RESULT of the entertainment given on Thursday evening in Philharmonic Hall in aid of the above Society:—

Total Receipts.....$425 75
Expenditure..... 50 75

Nett Proceeds.....$375 00

de22 J. H. TURNER, Mayor.

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CHOICE CANADIAN

BUTTER,

In Small Packages, specially selected for FAMILY USE.

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Daily Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 28TH, 1881.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Dec. 27—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Str Eureka, Pt Townsend
Sch Winged Racer, Bella Bella

CLEARED.

Dec. 27—Str Princess Louise, New Westminster
Str Wilson G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Str Eureka, Astoria, O.
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, fm Puget Sound—Misses Keach, Allison, F Mansell, H Moore, H Bornstien, D Skinner, M Eittes, Levy, Chapman.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

DECEMBER 27, 1881.

Anderson, W. D., Lavender, Ont.
Clayton, J. D., Portland, Ogn.
Cum Yow, W., Yale, B. C.
DeWitt, J. E., Portland, Me.
Foo Yuen & Co., Yale, B. C.
Innes, Miss J., Esquimalt
Lewis, S., Seattle, W. T.
Walsh, Miss R., San Francisco

What Some People Say.

That there is a crook in the electric light here and Mr. Reg. Nuttall has gone to San Francisco to straighten it out.

That the glass fell to 28.75 Monday without a disastrous blow eventuating.

That one quart of cheap whiskey judiciously applied will do more business for the devil than the smartest fiend he has got.

That a passenger in a recent trip to Portland telegraphed a friend: "Dear —, I am saved. Break it gently to my wife."

That a Yankee woman recently married a Chinese laundryman, and in three days thereafter the unhappy Celestial appeared in a barber's shop and ordered his pigtail to be cut off, saying in explanation: "Too muchee yank."

That a well known Paul Pry received a sound drubbing on Sunday evening at the hands of a married couple whose privacy he had invaded.

That he has since carried one eye and a nose in a sling.

That a German aged 99 years died recently in Oregon while herding sheep.

That General Grant, having acquired a large property in Guatemala, has inspired the Guatemalian government to solicit the protection of the United States against the threatened inroads of a powerful neighbor.

That the legislature will be called for dispatch of business on the 10th February.

That Mr. Ebenezer Brown will "run" for the Commons in New Westminster district.

That his "run" will be neither swift nor far.

That the Dominion government will not fill the vacant judgeship in pursuance of a new judicial system they are now considering.

That the Victoria telegraph office will soon be kept open until midnight.

That when he gave vent to the following sentiment Dr. Talmage's head was level and his heart sound: "I tell you all the grandest blessing of God to man is a good wife. (Applause.) If she looks well, tell her so! If you think she is the best of men's daughters, and I suppose you think she is, tell her so right out."

That flattery, like bad money, impoverishes those who receive it.

That the clothier who had a large apple painted over his store was a true wit, for when asked for an explanation he replied, "If it hadn't been for an apple where would the readymade clothing stores be to-day?"

That in Chicago the father of the bride kisses the groom and takes him into partnership.

That an appropriate Latin motto for the coat-of-arms of a man who has made a fortune out of lumber is "*Vidi.*"

That he was a fine-looking man, and strutted along Government street with the air of proprietorship in every movement. "Beg your pardon," said a stranger, as he stepped up to him, hat in hand, in utmost humility, "Do I have your permission to remain in town over night?"

That the attorney-general wrote the "Guelph" letter in his organ in denunciation of Mr. Drake. The A.-G. seems to think that he possesses an inherent right to be the only lawyer (?) in the House. The cheek of some people!

That the electors will shortly undeceive him.

That a second lawyer in the House would have the same effect on the attorney-general that holy water is believed to have on the devil.

That McNaught, Ferry & McNaught of Seattle are the new attorneys for the Northern Pacific Railway Co.

That John Leary of Seattle is moving for the formation of a company to work the iron beds of Washington Territory.

More New Steamships.

The Central Pacific Railway Co. have contracted for the construction of four large iron steamships for service in the North Pacific—ostensibly to carry Carbon Hill coal from New Tacoma to San Francisco. The ships will be 350 feet in length with corresponding proportions. Captain Lachlan has gone east to superintend the construction. The first steamer will be launched in May, the remainder afterwards. The new vessels will be found in all modern appliances and people at San Francisco say that they will be among the finest in the world. While the capital of the Central Pacific Company is certainly unlimited they will find it difficult to build a more magnificent vessel than the State of California, which may soon be placed on the Victoria route by the Pacific Coast Company. On the 23d inst., at San Francisco, articles of incorporation of the Oceanic Steamship Company were filed. The purpose is to conduct a general passenger and freight business between San Francisco and the Hawaiian Islands and other ports on the Pacific ocean and elsewhere. Directors, Charles Goodall, Claus Spreckles, James Defremery, L. G. Steele, A. L. Tubbs, Gustave Touchard and C. A. Spreckles. Capital stock, $2,500,000.

Christmas Fruits.

The undersigned begs to offer for sale 400 boxes of choice Pears and Apples at $1.25 per box. Call and see.

R. BAKER & SON,
Corner Yates and Wharf Sts. *

MRS. ROBERTSON, widow of the late Hon. A. R. Robertson, will sail on the Idaho on the 10th Jan. with the children. The bereaved lady will settle in Toronto.

SILVER Brooches, Earrings, Lockets, Chains and Bracelets, and a large assortment of Bangles, for sale cheap at C. REDFERN'S. *

LOSS OF THE SLOOP JULIA.

Narrow Escape from Drowning.

CREW SAVED BY THE BARQUE GEO. C. PERKINS.

Two young men of this city, Henry Moore and Frank Mansell, started off to to the other side a week ago last Monday in the sloop Julia, which they had recently purchased, for the purpose of procuring hogs for the Victoria market. They reached Dungeness all right and secured their cargo of 12 hogs just below that place. On Friday morning they started on their homeward trip and everything went well with them till about half way across the Straits, when a squall, the precursor of a heavy gale, came up. It struck the sloop with great force and almost immediately the vessel commenced leaking. Finding it impossible to keep her free they hoisted a portion of the cargo overboard; but the sloop settled down even with the water, and the rest of the animals floated out and swam for their lives. The sloop careened and the young men were thrown into the water. They managed to cling to the mast of the sloop. Fortunately the barque Geo. E. Perkins, Capt. Wheelwright, was proceeding up the Sound, and after the two sufferers had clung to the mast for about two hours and were nearly exhausted their signals attracted attention on board the barque, and notwithstanding the fast-increasing sea a boat was lowered and sent to their assistance. After being rescued from their perilous position every possible attention was paid them by Capt. Wheelwright, his officers and crew. Moore had suffered much from loss of blood from his wrist, occasioned by a bite from one of the hogs, which, together with the exposure, rendered him very weak. Capt. Wheelwright took them to Port Gamble from which place they came over yesterday in the North Pacific. Their loss will reach $500. Much anxiety was felt with reference to their safety as they were due here on Friday evening. As the telegraph line has been down almost continually since that date no tidings could be obtained from them. The sloop went to pieces very shortly after the young men were rescued, so that their escape from a watery grave was a very narrow one. A few of the hogs were picked up by the barque's boat; but the rest were drowned. Capt. Wheelwright and the people of Port Gamble are gratefully thanked by the shipwrecked persons, who were literally snatched from the jaws of death.

Marine.

The steamship Columbia has been detained three days at Columbia river bar, unable to cross in consequence of high winds.

The German barque Smidt, from Newcastle, arrived at San Francisco on the 24th, and reported having found the ship Sarah Douglass, of Liverpool, on the 28th of last July abandoned. The lower hold was full of water, and the vessel was stripped of everything moveable. Not a soul was on board. In the cabin and galley everything was smashed to pieces and ruined, and all the rigging and topmasts were loose. As the vessel was in the direct way of shipping, the officers of the Smidt caused her to be set on fire, and then proceeded on their voyage. The cause of the ship's abandonment is unknown.

New York specials report the probability of the loss of the three Atlantic steamers—the City of London, of the Centaur Line, out since November 13th, from London; the Henry Edge, from Antwerp, on November 21st, and the Lord Byron, from Hamburg, on November 28th. None carried passengers.

The steamship Eureka, Capt. Carroll, left yesterday morning at 7 o'clock direct for Portland with passengers and freight.

Steamer North Pacific, Capt. Wilson, arrived at 12:45 yesterday from the Sound with the overland mails, express and passengers.

The ship Cheseborough arrived yesterday in Royal Roads for orders from Guaymas, Mexico.

The barque Bolton, which left Liverpool more than a month ago for this port with a cargo of tin plate, had to put back and is now undergoing repairs, having to discharge cargo for that purpose. She will leave again in January. She is consigned to Welch, Rithet & Co.

Ship City of Brooklyn will leave Burrard Inlet next week with 1,600,000 feet of lumber for Sydney, N. S. W. From that port she will go to China and will be back to these waters about June next.

Good News.

Mr. A. Ofner, corner Government and Fort streets, has just received 1000 cases of best American Coal Oil, which he will sell at reduced prices. Also, a choice variety of Christmas Goods.

Orders from the trade are solicited. *

RAILROAD EARNINGS.—The Central Pacific Railroad Company reports gross earnings for the month of November to the amount of $2,267,000, against $2,199,439 for the same month in 1880. The gross earnings for the first eleven months of 1881 were $21,951,790, against $18,622,891 in 1880, an increase of $3,348,898. The gross earnings of the Union Pacific for November, 1881, were $2,251,148, against $1,728,688 in 1880, an increase of $522,460. For the first eleven months of 1881 the gross earnings were $25,184,827, against $21,578,710 in 1880, an increase of $3,606,117. The net earnings of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company for November, 1881, are estimated at $234,300, against $155,810 in 1880, an increase of $78,490.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA ROAD. — It is stated that while on this coast Villard proposed to complete the "missing link" of railway line between Portland and California, but that the Central Pacific Co. intimated to him in pretty strong terms that the central California trade was their "meat," and Villard then abandoned the scheme.

THE H. B. CO.—Mr. Sandford Fleming, who lately joined the directorate of the Hudson Bay Company, will arrive in the province early in the spring. The great capital of the company will be employed in the extension of their commercial and landed interests in the northwest and elsewhere, and Mr. Fleming's visit will precede important changes.

REAL ESTATE.—There is a considerable movement in real estate. The lot on Government street on which stand the White House and Mr. Gribble's toyshop has been sold to Mr. J. D. Pemberton for $14,500. The property is leased for a term of years at a monthly rental of $90. We understand that the White House proprietors—Messrs. Hutcheson, Young & Co.—have purchased the lease and will make extensive alterations so as to cover the whole lot with their business.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

TUESDAY, Dec. 26.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

On Monday the police magistrate polished off in the usual way nine Christmas drunks, namely, three whites and six Indians. In a majority of cases the fine was paid.

A charge of assault by one Hydah Indian woman named Esther against another named Lizzie belonging to the same tribe was fully proven on the testimony of Officer Sheppard, and the defendant fined $10 or in default 14 days' imprisonment. The fine was paid and the prisoner liberated.

The charge against Sammy, an Indian, for stealing a ring from an Indian woman, was dismissed.

LARCENY.

Peter Waldon was charged with stealing a silver watch and gold chain of the value of $40 and upwards, from George Nichols on board the steamer Maude on or about the 13th inst.

Prisoner pleaded guilty.

Supt. O'Connor knew nothing against the prisoner. He had given the police no trouble whatever in recovering the property.

His Honor remarked that under the circumstance of the case he would inflict a sentence of six months' imprisonment with hard labor. Had the prisoner been sent to a higher court he might have been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for stealing a watch and chain of the value of $40. The magistrate hoped that this would be a warning for him not to get into the same trouble again.

ANOTHER CASE OF LARCENY.

Fred. Matthews, alias George Massy, who was convicted last week and sentenced to two months' imprisonment for stealing a clock, was again brought up for stealing a rubber coat and leggings from the Victoria Brewery.

Supt. O'Connor remarked that on the day the clock was stolen from Mr. Baker's office Mr. Erb of the Victoria Brewery lost a water proof coat and leggings. The prisoner sold them to Mr. N. Pointer for $2. Mr. Pointer afterwards identified prisoner in the gaol as the man who had brought him the stolen property.

His Worship stated that in a case of this sort the photograph of the prisoner ought to have been taken, as it appeared he was an expert larcenist.

Supt. O'Connor replied that there was no photographer in connection with the gaol.

His Worship reminded the prisoner of his larceny of the clock and the two months' imprisonment inflicted for that theft. The punishment for this offence would be more severe and in addition to the other. He was obliged, therefore, to give him 6 months' imprisonment with hard labor for this offence, to commence after the expiration of the former term.

Prisoner was much obliged for the sentence.

His Worship remarked that he had not done with the prisoner yet. He had a duty to do to the public as well as to him. He was still a young man and it was not desirable that he should be kept in gaol at public expense any longer than was necessary, especially as there was nothing against him in the police court before these charges were laid. It was to be hoped that the prisoner would do better after serving his time and that he would give the police, to whom he was now well known, no more trouble.

Supt. O'Connor said that there would probably be another charge laid against the prisoner of the same sort in a few days. He then applied for the $1.50 found on the prisoner, to be returned to the party who purchased the property, as there was strong proof that this sum was a part of the $2 that had been paid for the stolen coat and leggings.

N. Pointer stated that he purchased the coat and leggings from the prisoner in the dock and paid him $2 for them; one dollar was an American trade dollar; it was about half-past one in the afternoon.

Prisoner said that the money the witness had given him was spent; but he was willing he should have what was found upon him.

In reply to the magistrate prisoner said he came from Illinois.

His Worship again gave the prisoner some good advice with reference to his future course, to which the prisoner replied that he certainly would do better when he got out of gaol.

CHRISTMAS AT THE ROYAL HOSPITAL. The usual Christmas dinner was given at the Royal Hospital on Sunday. There was a plentiful supply of the best provisions to be obtained in the market, thanks to the Mayor and City Council, Mrs. D. W. Higgins, Mrs. T. N. Hibben, Messrs. Lowen & Erb, John Parker, A. Ofner, John Finlayson, Fell & Co., J. Crowther, and S. E. King for their liberality. The Mayor and Mr. Fell were present. They carved and waited on the patients until all were satisfied. Then came toasts and speeches, after which the patients were left to sample some of the product of the Victoria brewery, which they pronounced excellent.—*Com.*

WHARF ACCIDENT.—A dray horse that was fastened yesterday in the warehouse on the old Anderson wharf broke one of the planks and fell through. It was some time before the poor animal was found, and he was then much hurt and considerably exhausted. After being extricated, however, he partially recovered and during the afternoon was taken away to his stable.

SWEET THINGS. — Mr. Harry Waller's increasing prosperity does not diminish his generosity. He sent the printers of this office on Christmas Eve the annual box of homemade confectionery. The quality is excellent—equal to the best imported French and English.

EXTENSION OF TELEPHONE. — Several new subscribers have lately been added to the telephone list, among whom is Mayor Turner, whose residence and store are now connected with the general system. There are now more than 100 subscribers.

SALE OF WRECKAGE.—Yesterday J. P. Davies & Co. sold a large quantity of spars, standing and running rigging, sails, stores, etc., etc., saved from the barque 21st May. The largest purchaser was Capt. J. D. Warren.

NEW CAMELS.—The purchasers of the stranded barque 21st May will have their four new camels completed by to-morrow and another effort will then be made to float the vessel.

INDIAN TEA.—The Indian tea meeting this evening at the mission church will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Watson, Rev. Mr. Taylor and others. Tea will be served at 7:30. Admission 50 cents.

THE latest novelties in Solid Silver and Electro Platedware at C. REDFERN'S. *

Victorians at the East.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Edgar are in New York City. Mr. E. is superintendent of a noble charity known as the Colored Home, where indigent and aged colored people of both sexes are taken in and cared for. It was endowed in 1842 by a wealthy white lady and the site was then three miles out of town. It is now nearly in the centre of the great city. The establishment under Mr. Edgar's management is a model of neatness.

Mr. George Wallace is at Montreal, the prosperous and trusted correspondent of several Canadian and American journals. He is universally esteemed as a reliable and energetic journalist, and is married to an estimable lady who has presented him with two bouncing boys.

Mr. Harry Helmcken is the most popular young gentleman in Toronto. He reads law in Mr. Edgar's office, is a hard student and bids fair to rise to eminence in the profession.

Mr. Edgar Dewdney, as is well known, is now lieut.-governor of the Northwest. The appointment is very popular. Governor and Mrs. Dewdney were at Toronto on the 7th inst. *en route* to Ottawa. Their many friends in the province will be glad to hear that they were then in excellent health and looked forward eagerly to the time when they will again take up their abode in B. C.

Mr. Hugo Sutro is proprietor of a flourishing fringe factory in Wooster street, New York.

Mr. C. B. Young is a wholesale merchant in Baltimore—77 years of age, hale, hearty and prosperous.

Mr. T. H. Long is in the wholesale line in New York city and is doing well.

Dr. McInnes has really made a fortune in land speculations in Manitoba. He will not return to the province to reside. His wealth came through investing in a 160-acre farm not far from Winnipeg in June last. The town reached the farm last fall and the doctor cut the land up into town lots, sold every alternate lot for a sum aggregating $80,000 and holds the remainder for a larger advance.

Mr. Sporborg has left New York and gone west in pursuance of Horace Greeley's injunction.

Watchstealing.

On the 13th inst. a man named George Nichols, engineer on board the steamer Maude, lying at Spratt's wharf, on returning to his room found the door locked and the key nowhere to be found. On effecting an entrance he discovered that a silver watch and a gold chain were missing. The police were promptly communicated with but nothing was found out till a pawnbroker gave information that a gold chain had been offered for sale at his store under suspicious circumstances. On the return of the party offering it he was taken into custody and at once said that a colored youth named Waldon had asked him to pawn the chain. Waldon was therefore apprehended by Sergeant Bloomfield and Officer Flewin. On being lodged in gaol he exculpated the other party and confessed to having stolen the watch and chain from the steamer. It appears that he went on board looking for work and seeing the watch and chain hanging temptingly in the engineer's room which he entered, quietly pocketed them, locked the room door and threw the key overboard. He further told the officers where the watch was hidden, which was in a vacant lot opposite the Telegraph Hotel. After a long and persevering search the officers found it in a hole covered with earth about 12 o'clock on Saturday dight. Thus the property was recovered and the larcenist punished with six months' hard labor in the chaingang yesterday.

A Scandal Spoiled.

Society in Washington has been much exercised over the report that while the new Minister, Hon. Lionel Sackville West, is a bachelor, he has a family of children, two of whom he wishes to live with him. The *World* heads the item, "Ought we to visit him?" and concludes as follows: "It must be admitted that it cannot fail to be awkward for heads of families to explain to their families how the foreign minister can be at once a bachelor and also the head of a family." A later dispatch states that Great Britain never commissions a man to a high office whose social record is not good. The present minister, when a young attaché of the British legation at Madrid, married an estimable Spanish lady but not of equal rank. They lived happily for years, and he recognized her as his wife. Although the court journals never announced the marriage he was legally married. That's the whole story. Since his wife's death he has lived single.

LECTURE LAST EVENING.—The Methodist church was well filled last evening to listen to a lecture by the Rev. Wm. Taylor in his personal experiences in India, South Africa and South America. Rev. Coverdale Watson occupied the chair and in a few remarks introduced the lecturer. Interesting and amusing reminiscences of India were first given and the great missionary work of that wonderful empire explained and illustrated. South Africa was then touched upon and much information conveyed with reference to the manners and customs of the Caffirs and the physical conformation of the large territory of Caffiara. His brief epitome of missionary work in Chili, Peru and Brazil was also very instructive. The reverend gentleman's method of establishing Christian missions and at once making them self-supporting and self-reliant was listened to with much attention. The whole lecture of about two hours in length was interspersed with anecdote and personal adventure, and was often very amusing. At the close of the lecture proper he explained the 10 or 12 books of which he is the author, and stated that upon the proceeds of the sale of these works he managed to travel about the world, establish mission stations and provide educated and enthusiastic missionaries to occupy them. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Taylor at the close of the meeting. He will deliver another address this evening in the Indian Methodist church, Herald street.

HOW TO CARVE A TURKEY.—Place your fork in the lower part of the breast, so as to have the turkey at perfect command. If you understand your business, the entire carving of the fowl may be done without extracting the fork; first remove the wing and leg on one side, then the other wing and leg. Then slice off the breast, remove the "wish-bone," the neck bones and the neck itself. Then cut through the ribs and the job is fairly done. With proper care there is no necessity of firing the bird off the table into anybody's lap, but if this should happen it is perfectly proper to ask the person to please pass the turkey.

THE land leaguers at San Francisco are preparing to give T. P. O'Connor, member for Galway, a great reception on his arrival at that city and are now canvassing for funds.

DOWN AMONG THE DEAD MEN.

Another Historic House Removed.

The old story and a-half building, which for many years has stood at the corner of Wharf street and a small alley that leads down to the ruins of an old wharf near the Hudson Bay Company's establishment has been torn down to make room for Mr. R. Finlayson's new three-story fireproof warehouse—the property having been lately purchased from Mr. Henry Nathan. The structure now no more was built of California redwood in the summer of 1858 and in its day was considered of some importance, as well as it might be since the lumber of which it was constructed cost $100 per thousand and the carpenters who worked upon it were paid $10 per day. The building was first devoted to the purposes of a saloon on the ground floor, a printing office in the cellar and a lodginghouse on the upper flat. In the rear Captain Nagle, the first harbormaster in freeport days, registered the arrival and departure of shipping, and on the wharf Mr. St. Ours and subsequently Mr. Brodrick had a capacious warehouse where goods were safely stored. Afterwards the saloon was moved away and the postoffice took its place. St. Ours went to New York and died there. The printing office burst up one day. The harbormaster's office and customhouse were consolidated and removed to more convenient quarters. The postoffice sought a lodgment on Government street. Mr. E. B. Marvin used the building as a shipchandlery for some years and when he sought more commodious quarters the wharf rotted away and the old building was afterwards only occupied by bats and rats. Its removal now is in response to an urgent demand for more storage-room and is an indication of the improved condition of mercantile affairs which has begun to manifest itself.

Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2, A. F. & A. M.

Officers for the ensuing year installed by the M. W. the Grand Master and officers of Grand Lodge:

Evening, 27th Dec., 1881:—Bros. A. R. Milne, W. M; Dixie H. Ross, S. W.; D. R. Harris, J. W.; E. C. Neufelder, S.D.; W. Ettershank, J.D.; J.F. Becker, Treas.; R. B. McMicking, Secretary; Rev. R. H. Smith, Chaplain; Lewis Lewis, Steward; J. B. Lovell, I. G.; Wm. Trickey, Tyler. At the close of the ceremony of installation Bro. P. M. Beaven was presented by the officers and members with an appropriate and flattering address accompanied with an elegant past master jewel.

MESSRS NORTHROP & LYMAN are the proprietors of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which is now being sold in immense quantities throughout the Dominion. It is welcomed by the suffering invalid everywhere with emotions of delight, because it banishes pain and gives instant relief. This valuable specific for almost "every ill that flesh is heir to," is valued by the sufferer as more precious than gold. It is the elixir of life to many a wasted frame. If you have not purchased a bottle do so at once, and keep it ready for any emergency. Its cheapness, 25 cents per bottle, places it within the reach of all. To the farmer it is indispensable, and it should be in every house. 22

THE Northern Pacific Railway Co. have recently acquired by the construction of 325 miles of railway 9,260,000 acres of agricultural, timber and grazing lands in Idaho, Washington Territory and Montana.

FINEST BREAKFAST DELICACY OF THE SEASON.—Genuine Scotch Smoked Findon Haddocks direct from Aberdeen, Scotland, overland. To be had only of H. Saunders, Grocer, Johnson street. *

PAY up your Municipal Taxes before 4 o'clock p. m, on Friday next, the 30th inst., otherwise you will not be entitled to vote at the ensuing election for Mayor and City Councillors. *

FROM BURRARD INLET. — The Etta White came in yesterday afternoon from Moodyville. The Misses Smith, Lockhart, and N. Jamieson came down as passengers.

THE wife of Robert McWade, the actor, is inquiring as to the whereabouts of her husband. She is in great pecuniary distress in Philadelphia. Robert is in San Francisco flat broke, poor man.

ARROGANT LITTLE CHILE FIRES UPON AN AMERICAN MAN-OF-WAR

AND DAMAGES HER SERIOUSLY.

THE REPORT DISCREDITED AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A private letter received in this city yesterday from South America states that rumors are rife that the U. S. steamship Alaska had been fired into and struck twice, damaging her so seriously she had to return to Callao for repairs. Neither the state department nor the navy department received any information on the subject and the report is discredited.

Commodore Walker, chief of the bureau of navigation and repairs, says the report that the Alaska had been fired on is absurd, and if there had been any foundation for it the navy department would have been so informed long before this rumor reported here by letter. Whereas, in the judgment of the naval authorities, if there had been any truth in it the fact could easily have been communicated by telegraph.

TAKE NOTICE. — Christmas and New Year's Presents, consisting of Toys and Fancy Goods, at Cost. Santa Claus' headquarters. H. GRIBBLE,
Government street, Victoria.
Next to White House.
P.O. Box 94. *

WHY do you cry hard times and say this is the poorest Christmas you ever saw? when you can go to the COMMERCIAL HOTEL and get the best dinner the market affords for the usual price—25 cents! Dinner from 12 to 3 p. m.
* D. M. ELLIS, Proprietor.

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As a purifier of the blood, Ayer's Sarsparilla has no equal. It wonderfully improves the complexion, and brings to old and young the bloom of youth. *

THE EASTERN STATES AND CANADA.

HEAVY FAILURE IN CHICAGO.

A FIERY CHRISTMAS IN NEW YORK.

Heavy Loss and Still Burning.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—The astonishing intelligence is given out to-night that the wholesale grocery firm of Knowles, Cloyes & Co., No. 25 River street, have suspended. They were engaged chiefly in the coffee, tea and spice trade. Their liabilities are $325,000 to $350,000, and the assets, consisting of stock and collectable bills, to $450,000. They had a cash capital of only $100,000. Their business this year amounts to over two millions. Collections have been delayed this winter by bad roads in the country, and the collapse was inevitable. Several large local creditors were the most active in pushing them to the wall, but their liabilities are largely to parties in New York, Baltimore, Portland and Philadelphia, whose names could not be learned to-night. They went through the panic and fire with excellent credit and standing, and will doubtless resume after having paid in full. They made preferred creditors, two of them employes who had shown their confidence in the firm by putting in $25,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—The bonded warehouse of Cover, Acker & Co., 71 and 74 South street, stored with silk, tobacco and spirits, burned this evening. Loss will probably be in the neighborhood of $500,000, though by some parties it is estimated still higher. Several explosions occurred in the building caused by ignition of spirits. Three firemen were injured.

The *Tribune* has the following details of the fire on South street: Toward one o'clock a general alarm was sent out for all aid possible to be given. The fire had spread and obtained a footing in a five story brick next to the Granite and owned by the same firm. The firemen worked in water knee deep, in the basement, as the smoke was too dense above for them to enter the first floor; the iron shutters of the brick warehouse soon became red hot, and the fire burst out with renewed fierceness. At 1:15 the fire was spreading rapidly, and it seemed impossible to save the lower buildings at South street and Maiden lane, which were surrounded on two sides by the burning warehouse. The addition extending to Maiden lane was soon entirely at the mercy of the flames, and all hope of saving it was abandoned. There were grave fears expressed about the supply of water failing, as there were two other fires in the city. Geo. T. Patterson, secretary of Clinton Fire Insurance Company, said about two o'clock this morning he estimated the loss at fully $3,000,000, on account of extraordinary valuable articles stored in the building, such as India shawls, raw silk and wines.

4 a. m.—The loss by the on South street is now estimated at two millions. It is still burning.

The building, No. 359 Broadway, owned by Travers & Colgate, was burned this evening. The losers were: A. T. Moore & Co., dealers in linens and dress goods, $140,000; Alvah, Hale & Co., umbrella manufacturers, $50,000; John Stewart, dealer in linens, white goods, silks, etc., $60,000. The building is damaged $10,000, and there were a number of minor losses.

Times Washington special: An influential member of the Pacific railroad committee who has a fund of inside facts, growing out of his former connection with that body, has decided to offer a resolution in the house immediately after the holidays to authorize investigation of the affairs of the Northern Pacific.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 23.—The Lingle interest in the Central railway was to-day sold to Sir Edward Reed, an English capitalist. The transfer gives Sir Edward a controlling interest in the Florida Central of which he was to-day elected president.

OMAHA, Dec. 23.—Thomas Powers O'Connor, M. P., lectured this evening to an enthusiastic audience of 1500 people, under the auspices of the land league, in Boyd's Opera House.

THE HERITAGE OF MAN.

A LIFE OF TOIL AND TROUBLE FOR HIS BOARD AND CLOTHES,

To which the prudent man will naturally ask: Where can I do the best for my money? ECHO answers: For Clothing and Furnishing Goods go to Factory Store, corner Government and Johnson streets, where Cloths and Flannels are received direct from the mill and manufactured on the premises. Such beautifully made large sized Flannel Undershirts and Drawers are to be found nowhere else in the province. Men's, Boys and Children's Suits from the cheapest to the best, Hats, Caps, &c., in fact, everything from a coarse tweed suit to a fancy ballroom rig-out can be found here.

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The NEW "MOUSQUETAIRE" KID GLOVE, without Buttons. The NEW "CORSET" KID GLOVE, an improved "Foster." The "LE PLASTIQUE" CORSET, side bones warranted not to break. A selection of 700 pairs popular-make corsets, ranging from 75 cents to $3.25. Chartaline (paper) Blankets, comfortable, economical and durable. Ulsters, Jackets, Circulars and Dolmans in great variety and latest styles. Also, New Furs, Fur Trimmings and Fringes. Hosiery, Fancy Knit Goods, &c., &c. THOS. WILSON & Co.
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CALIFORNIA NEWS.

REVIVAL OF THE DRAMA.

GENERAL LOCAL NEWS OF SAN FRANCISCO.

The Money Jeff Davis Didn't Steal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The *Examiner* this morning publishes an interview with J. C. Maynard, a prominent democratic politician and ex-insurance commissioner of this state. During the last year of the war Maynard was general depot quartermaster at Richmond. When the federals occupied Richmond he received orders to furnish transportation to Danville. Among other property was about $200,000 in silver, belonging to the state of Virginia, which was put on the cars at Danville and sent to Washington, Georgia, where by order of the secretary of war, Breckenridge, it was distributed among soldiers. Jeff Davis had nothing to do with it. There was no specie belonging to the Confederacy sent out of Richmond in wagons.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—Under the new management of J. H. Haverly the old California theatre reopened last night, the great play "Michael Strogoff" being presented with a very strong company, brought expressly from New York. The theatre was packed to its utmost capacity. The opening piece must be recorded as a brilliant success.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—The suit of Richards & Co. vs. the California Paper Co. for recovery of $32,471 on contract to furnish paper, which contract it is claimed was unfulfilled on defendants' part, closed to-day. The verdict rendered judgment for plaintiff in the sum of $1244.86 damages.

Mary Marchini has presented a remarkable petition to the board of supervisors for payment of damages in $5,478, alleged to have been caused by loss of her husband. It is alleged that the city of San Francisco, through its agents, servants and employes, threw up an embankment and made a fill along Church street between 25th and 26th, thereby preventing the natural flow of water. It is alleged that water accumulated and became stagnant, and that Marchini came in contact with and inhaled poisonous vapors of the stagnant pool, from the effects of which he sickened and died.

CHINA AND JAPAN.

General News from the Orient.

YOKOHAMA, Dec. 10, 1881—The government is about to establish a central bank with a capital of $20,000,000.

Our last dispatches announced that the crew of the schooner Diana, flying the American flag, had been fired on when landing on an island of the Aleutian group. The Diana has since arrived in Yokohama. Three of the Japanese crew were killed and the captain and another foreign officer severely wounded. Immediately after the disaster the vessel went to Petropaulovski, where medical attendance and good treatment was provided, but the cargo of furs was detained.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 2 — Serious disturbances are reported from Canton, where a mob has burned the monastery of Cheong Shour, known to foreigners as the "Temple of Longevity," the largest and richest monastery in South China. The riots originated in the alleged immorality of of the cenopites. The military was called out and quelled the riot at a cost of loss of life or wounds to several of the mutineers. Two priests were burned in the flames of the temple.

Two German residents of good position in Hongkong, on a shooting excursion in a boat on the Canton river, were fired on by a junk which they took to be a pirate, but was a revenue cruiser. Two of the Chinese crew were killed. The foreigners returned the fire, but their boat was taken and they were imprisoned on the charge that their boat was smuggling opium. When they established their identity they were promptly released. The Hongkong colonial government demands an apology for the insult and reparation for the families of the Chinese boatmen killed in the service of foreign residents in the colony.

Gen. Walter, C.B., V.C., a distinguished Indian officer, succeeds Gen. Donovan in command of the British forces in Hongkong.

Kidnapping female children for purposes of sale is still prevalent.

The British flying squadron, with the sons of the Prince of Wales on board the Bachante, has arrived at Shanghai. Residents here and at Singapore are displeased that the admiral in charge will not allow them to accept any entertainment except as officers of their ship.

WITH RETURNING prosperity and business generally, we have concluded to remain in the Province and continue our business as heretofore, and have imported a large and varied assortment of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silver and Electro-Plated ware; also, the most complete assortment of Optical Goods north of San Francisco, and in connection with them an Eye-tester, which enables us to give purchasers exactly what glasses they require. Ten per cent. discount on all cash purchases for the next thirty days.
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LONDON BAZAAR.—Just received, China Glass and Majolica Ware, Cutlery, English, German and American Toys. Fancy Goods in great variety and large assortment at London Bazaar.
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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. au26i3m REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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H. M. ROYAL NAVY FOR ALL FRESH AND SALT MEATS VEGETABLES, ETC.

THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST ASSORTMENT OF

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES, AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

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WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION T selling, purchasing and leasing property; negotiating loans and transacting everything conn ted with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island m be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasin homesteads, or making investments, will find on Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every stree Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonab rates. de1

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YALE, March 1st, 1881

NEW SCHEDULE OF WAGES FOR WHITE LABOR

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Canadian Pacific Railway

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Overseers	$125 P month
Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 P day
Earth Foremen	$2 25 to $3 "
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Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$3 "
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Masons	$2 50 to $3 "
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 "
do (2d class)	$2 50 "
do (helpers)	$1 50 to $2 "
Drillers	$1 75 to $2 "
Laborers	$1 50 to $1 75 "
Hewers	$2 50 to $3 "
Choppers	$1 50 to $2 "

All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employés find themselves bed, board and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board $4 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employés to board in the Company's houses

Wages will be paid monthly on the 10th of each month.

A. ONDERDONK,

mh13 General Manager.

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As we will make our Purchases for CASH, we are in a position to successfully carry on a business of this kind, and having been for some years engaged in supplying the wants of customers in this market, and thoroughly understanding

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WHAT TO PURCHASE,

Our aim will be to make THE WHITE HOUSE a resort for those who wish to secure Fashionable and First Class Goods for the Very Lowest Cash Price at which it is possible to obtain them.

OUR AMBITION IS NOT TO FOLLOW, BUT TO LEAD.

And our Goods, Prices and Attention will all aim toward this result.

We have PECULIAR ADVANTAGES which will, we believe, enable us to command a large share of public patronage.

We will advertise nothing but what we are prepared to do, relying upon the values we offer as the best and surest means of gaining public favor.

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THE WHITE HOUSE, - - Hutcheson, Young & Co., Prop'rs.

October 24th, 1881. oc25

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Emory's Bar to Port Moody

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDER FOR WORK IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to NOON on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of February next, in a lump sum, for the construction of that portion of the road between Port Moody and the West-end of Contract 60, near Emory's Bar, a distance of about 85 miles.

Specifications, conditions of contract and forms of tender may be obtained on application at the Canadian Pacific Railway Office, in New Westminster, and at the Chief Engineer's Office at Ottawa, after the 1st January next, at which time plans and profiles will be open for inspection at the latter office.

This timely notice is given with a view to giving Contractors an opportunity of visiting and examining the ground during the fine season and before the winter sets in.

Mr. Marcus Smith, who is in charge at the office at New Westminster, is instructed to give Contractors all the information in his power.

No tender will be entertained unless on one of the printed forms, addressed to F. Braun, Esq., Secty. Dept. of Railways and Canals, and marked "Tender for C. P. R."

F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Dept. of Railways and Canals,

Ottawa, Oct. 24th, 1881. no13dw

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au24dwly MARK COHEN, General Agent.

CARD OF THANKS.

THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN GRATEFULLY acknowledge the receipt of $1225 45, which were handed them last evening by Mrs. P. McQuade, President of the Bazaar Committee.

They tender many and sincere thanks to the ladies who conducted it, and to whose unsparing exertions they owe so much, and to the people of Victoria who, by contribution and goodwill, are ever ready to lend them assistance and support them in their endeavors to do good. de3

W. POLLARD,

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A FIRE-PROOF VAULT is in the office.

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HIGH PRIZE—JULES CERGERSON WATCH, $30

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J. LOVETT,

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The raffle will be managed as in previous year —four responsible gentlemen being selected to con duct it. Any persons abroad sending for tickets can rely on receiving the prize or prizes should they win them. no19

DIARIES

—FOR—

1882

—AT—

THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE.

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CARD OF THANKS.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE B. C. BENEVOLENT Society acknowledge with thanks the receipt of One Hundred and Thirty-six Dollars ($136) from the Lingard Dramatic Company, being one-third of the gross proceeds of the entertainment given on the 9th inst.

The Directors also acknowledge a donation of $5 from Mr. T. J. Burnes, American Hotel, and $5 from Marcus Smith, Esq., C.P.R.

B. C. Pioneer Society	$25 00
F. Carne, Angel Hotel	2 00
A Friend	1 00
C. W. R. Thomson	5 00
Hudson Bay Co	10 00
A Friend	1 00
Capt. G. G. Walker	2 00
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Island and Mainland Eggs, Butter, Cheese, Fruits and Vegetables, and a well selected stock of

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OFFICE—FOOT OF YATES STREET.

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PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT JOHN PATMORE WALLS, of Victoria, British Columbia, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated the 24th November, 1881. no29

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES BEER HAS ASSIGNED HIS EState to the undersignen for the benefit of his creditors. All claims are requested to be sent in at once. Mr. Beer is empowered to collect debts.

J. H. TODD.

17th Nov., 1881. no19

NOTICE.

HAVING ESTABLISHED MYSELF AT VICtoria as Real Estate, General Commission Agent and Custom House Broker, any business entrusted to me will receive prompt and careful attention. Terminus Lots and Land in all parts of the province for sale; $50,000 to loan on approved security.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

AS THE STEAMER "WESTERN SLOPE" HAS stopped running rather suddenly, I wish to explain to the public that, having no connection at New Westminster and no freight offering for the latter place either up or down, I was reluctantly compelled to withdraw the boat at once or suffer a loss by keeping her running. I now beg to return my sincere thanks to my friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage extended to me during the past season, and hope for a continuance of their favors the ensuing season, which I expect to commence early in the spring. In the meantime arrangements will be made for a light draught steamer to connect with the Slope on the river, so that freight and passengers may be taken through to Yale without delay early the ensuing season.

WM. MOORE,

Master Steamer Western Slope.

Victoria, Dec. 8, 1881. de8

NOTICE.

I HAVE MADE AN ASSIGNMENT OF ALL MY estate and effects to H. Bornstein for the benefit all my creditors.

JAMES DUDGEON.

Victoria, 6th December, 1881. de7

REWARD---LOST.

FROM ROSS BAY COTTAGE ON THURSDAY, 24th inst., a FOX TERRIER, white, with two brown patches on head and bob-tail. A reward will be paid for its recovery.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

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ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES, REPAYABLE by instalments if preferred.

TOWN LOTS and FARMING LANDS for Sale o Easy Terms.

ALLSOP & MASON,

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Thomas W. Nordburg, deceased, are requested to forward them to the undersigned without delay for settlement.

DANIEL NORDBURG,

Executor to the Estate.

Barkerville, B.C., Aug. 27, 1881 se7dw3m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made at the next session of the Dominion Parliament for an Act authorizing The Trust and Loan Company of Canada to carry on business as a Loan Company in all of the Provinces of the Dominion of Canada, with like powers as are now possessed by said company in the Province of Ontario and Quebec, and to allow said company to recover such rate of interest as may be agreed upon with borrowers, and to authorise the issue of Debenture Stock by said Company and for other purposes.

Dated 17th November, 1881.

MACDONALD, MACDONALD & MARSH,

de7w6t Solicitor for Applicants.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED ON as McLean and Carson has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Said business will in future be carried on by John McLean, to whom all accounts due must be paid and all accounts for payment be presented.

(Signed) JOHN McLEAN,
ALFRED CARSON.

Witness—
D. D. DUNN.

Quesnelle, November 21st, 1881. de16dw

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT CHARLES Wilson of Barkerville, Cariboo, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia and his admission as a Solicitor therein, upon his passing the necessary examination.

Dated 16th November, A.D., 1881. no19dw

LOST.

A PURSE CONTAINING LETTERS OF RECommendation and private correspondence, of no value to any person but the owner. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the same at this office. de3

$25 Reward---Notice.

WHEREAS ON THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY of October, 1881, a small box addressed N. B. Gauvreau, Esq., Asst. Engineer C. P. Railway Office, Victoria, B.C., was lost while in transit from Yale to Victoria. The sum of $25 will be paid to any person who will bring the box to the undersigned.

BRITISH COLUMBIA EXPRESS CO.

Dated 30th Nov., 1881, de1

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION WILL be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly for a Private Bill to enable me, the undersigned, to be admitted to practice as a Solicitor and Barrister in the Supreme and other Courts of the Province of British Columbia, subject to my passing the necessary legal examinations before examiners to be appointed.

Dated 8th day of November, 1881.

SAMUEL PERRY MILLS,

no9 2m The Petitioner in Person.

MUNICIPAL.

IN PURSUANCE OF A RESOLUTION PASSED by the Municipal Council on the 26th inst.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Reward of FIVE DOLLARS will be paid to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of any person or persons found breaking the windows of any house or tenement within the City Limits.

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Oct, 27th, 1881. oc28

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the North-east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Gherlakee;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

S. A. SPENCER.

Victoria, B.C., August 3rd, 1881. au7

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I INTEND to apply to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated on the North bank of the Naas River. Said one hundred and sixty acres are contained within a line commencing at a p st on the shore of the river situated about a quarte of a mile West of Red Bluffs; from the post the lin runs in a Westerly direction forty chains; thence ortherly direction forty chains; thence in an F y direction forty chains, and from thence to t commencement

No mining claims or mineral lands are kne exist on the said one hundred and sixty acres.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE.

15th September, 1881. se18

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated at Rivers Inlet and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the North shore of Rivers Inlet; thence running true North for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East, 40 chains; thence true South 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Rivers Inlet; thence West, along the said shore line, for a distance of 40 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement.

MICHAEL HART.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 27th, 1881. oc2

LIST OF PROPERTY

On which taxes have been due and unpaid for three years and upwards, and which will be sold on the TWENTY-FOURTH day of DECEMBER, 1881, at the City Hall, Victoria, at 12 o'clock, Noon, in pursuance of the Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1881, unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each Lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	AMOUNT OF INTEREST	SIDE-WALKS.	TOTAL.	COSTS.
33	3	$ 18 00	$ 2 16	$	$ 20 16	$ 3 10
Part 43	14	14 05	1 68	8 80	24 53	3 22
79	26	42 00	5 04	16 20	63 24	5 16
87	26	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
143	V.	168 00	20 16		188 16	11 40
144	"	30 00	3 60		33 60	3 68
256	27	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
257	"	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
297	15	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
313	11	18 00	2 16		20 60	3 10
493	D.	12 00	1 44		13 44	2 67
Part 508	"	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
512	C.	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
575	41	18 38	2 20		20 58	3 02
699	R.	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
Part 717	Q.	8 55	1 02		9 57	2 47
734	P.	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
793	10	31 50	3 78		35 28	3 76
794	"	20 56	2 46	11 00	34 03	3 70
803	"	12 00	1 44	18 00	31 44	3 67
830	5	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
854	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
855	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
Half of 876	J.	6 60	80		7 40	2 37
Half of 878	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
919	39	14 88	1 78		16 66	2 83
Part 941	42	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Part 942	"	8 25	98		9 23	2 46
970	6	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
1005	17	24 00	2 88		26 88	3 34
Part 1023	20	10 50	1 16	19 42	31 08	3 55
1046	7	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1048	"	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
1059	"	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
1062	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
1068	8	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1069	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1076	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1118-19	32	44 00	5 28		49 28	4 46
1124	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1126	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1150	36	12 67	1 51		14 18	2 70
1183	21	21 00	2 52		23 52	3 17
1276	46	12 50	1 50		14 00	2 70
1824	62	63 00	7 56		70 56	5 52
1839	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1840	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1841	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1943	65	11 25	1 34		12 59	2 62
5-ACRE LOTS.						
Subdivision 8 of	II.	32 00	3 84		35 34	3 79
Part Subdn. E. of	V.	10 18	1 20		11 38	2 56
Sub. 4 and 5	VI.	13 00	1 56		14 56	2 72
Sub. 7	"	4 50	54		5 04	2 25
Sub. 17	"	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 20	IX.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Sub. 19	XIII.	15 62	1 87		17 49	2 87
Part Sub. 27	"	4 50	54		4 94	2 24
Sub. 1	XIX.	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 2	"	4 68	56		5 24	2 26
Sub. 3	"	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
Sub. 12	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 15-21	"	37 74	4 52		42 26	4 11
Sub. 22-24	"	13 02	1 56		14 58	2 72
Sub. 26	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 43	"	4 33	51		4 84	2 24
Sub. 55-58	"	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
BECKLEY FARM.						
Subdivision 23 of 1694	Sub. Sec. 28. 56	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
Subdivision 46		7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Spring Ridge	Sec. 2.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Section 14	Spring Ridge.	56 00	6 72		62 72	5 13
Part Section 21	do do	14 25	1 70		15 95	2 74
do do 74	Victoria District.	48 00	5 76	73 62	127 38	8 36
do do 74	do do	60 00	7 20		67 20	5 36
do do 74	do do	19 50	2 34		21 84	3 09
FINLAYSON ESTATE						
7	A.	39 00	4 68		43 68	4 18
WORK ESTATE.						
2	F.	5 37	63		6 00	2 30
14	I.	7 50	90	22 60	31 00	3 55
3 and 5	Z.	5 00	60		5 60	2 28

THOS. RUSSELL, Assessor and Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, Sept. 25, 1881. se25

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